### TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

RUSINESS

Vesterday's bank clearings were \$9,077. 171; balances, \$94.715. Local discount rates were between 514 and 6 per cent. Domes tic exchange was quoted as follows: New York, 60c discount bid, 50c discount asked; Chicago, Se discount bld, 15: discount asked; Cincinnati, Louisville and New Or-

leans, We discount bid, par usked, Wheat closed lower at 79% 979% c asked May: 851968715c No. 2 red. Corn closelower at 40% May; 439434c No. 2 mixed-Outs closed at 36%c acked May; 36%637%c

Spot cotton was 'so higher in the local

THE DAY IN CONCRESS se extraordinary seculon of the Fifty-eighth Congress convened vesteria; with an ex-traordinarily large attendance of members of both houses. Representative Cannon of Illinois was swern in as Speaker of the Houst, receiving unstitted appliance from Democrats and Republicans as he pickiged himself to wield the gavel with fairness to all individuals and par-The rules of the l'ifty-seventh Congress were adopted after the Democrats had made a eath uppeal for increased representation on the place. A committee was appointed to go with a similar committee from the Senate and notify the President that Congress had convened.

SENATE The Senate session, which did not continue over half an hour, was marked chiefly by the evations given to Senators Gorman and Hanna, ently distinguished themselves by bril-itical victories in Maryland and Ohio, respectively. Many floral tributes were present ed to the Senators. The Democratic Steering Committee met after the session and discussed the Panama situation and the Cuban reciprority tivaty, ratification of which will be urged in the President's message, to be read in both houses

President Roosevelt is said to favor the

appointment of some prominent business man of St. Louis as Postmaster, to suc ceed F. W. Baumhoff. President Roosevelt again urges Senator Hanna to take charge of his campaign for the presidency, and Hanna again de-

Fish Commissioner George M. Bowers is sued by a former hartender on a charge of allenating the latter's wife's affections. The only liquor to be found in the national Capitol yesterday was in the Senate

Congressman De Armond, it is expected, will be appointed to a place on the House

LOCAL AND SUBURBAN. make a retreat.

A nursery will be established at the Centenary M. E. Church, where babies will be cared for during service. John Murphy, Clerk of the Court of Appeals, testified that he believes that hand-

writing on alleged fraudulent naturalization certificates is that of Thomas E. Bar The ordinance governing the width of vehicle tires goes into effect January 1. Second inquest in Laidig poisoning case

closes. Now goes to Grand Jury. Mrs. David R. Francis was elected pres ident of the St. Louis Women's Club to aucceed Mrs. J. L. Blair.

James P. Goldsmith, a portrait painter, attempted to commit suicide by drinking Porter in downtown department store finds dead baby in waste basket.

State Commission will select Missouri State building's hostess in January. tures in different departments of State ex-

A special election will be held in East St. Louis to decide whether a special as-segment shall be levied for levee-pro-

tection purposes.

The Reverend Charles L. Kloss resigned as paster of First Congregational Church at Webster Groves. It is expected that the Grand Jury's final

report will contain charges against James L. Blair. oner Kohlsaat says Scandina-

vian exhibits will be of first class GENERAL DOMESTIC

Theodore Rogers, former president of the Bank of the Metropolis, dies at his home in Jamaica, Long Island. He rose from messenger to president of the bank Governor Ferguson of Oklahoma has offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest of th murderers of Mrs. E. S. Ames and a farm hand, near Chandler, Ok.

Daniel D. Tompkins died in a Kansas Gity hospital from the effects of razor wounds inflicted by himself. Efforts were made to suppress the manner of death. The Cole County Grand Jury will re sume the boodle inquiry to-day. It is expected to make its final report Saturday. Mayor Harrison of Chicago brings out Congressman James R. Williams of Illi

nois for the Democratic nomination for Five miners were injured by an explo

sion of gas in a coal mine near Foster, Ten thousand coal miners in Colorado

go on strike for shorter hours and higher pay, closing 100 mines. Denver already feels the shortage of fuel.

FOREIGN Emperor William's condition is consid-

erably improved and he is able to transact buriness. The scientists engaged in the there is no sign of cancer. M. tiel law is proclaimed in one district

of A: .. Minor in consequence of the activity of \rmenian revolutionists. The new Italian Minister of Finance commits suicide. He had recently been

the object of strong accusations by So-The first secret consistory under Pope

Plus X is held at Rome, but no Americans are appointed Cardinals. Archbishap Harty's appointment is formally made An alleged plot against Prince Fordinand of Bulgaria has resulted in the arrest of

several officers. A member of the Reichstag suggests that Germany should denounce the existing commercial treaty with the United

States on account of the "most-favored nation" clause, but admits that this course involves grave danger to German trade. SPORTING. Harry Forbes canceled his bout, with

Briggs last evening after an attempt to make him give up part of the receipts. St. Louis University and Smith Acadresumed practice at Sportsman's Park yesterday.

Marine Intelligence.

Plymouth, Nov. 9 .- Arrived: Kronprinz Wilhelm, from New York. Philadelphia, Nov. 9 .- Arrived Western-

land from Liverpool. Nantucket Lightship, Nov. 9 .- The Columbla, from Glasgow, for New York, was off here at 4 a. m., and the Vaderland, from Antwerp, for New York, passed

New York, Nov. 5.-Arrived: Columbia. from Glasgow and Moville Plymouth, Nov. & Salled: Patricia, from

Hamburg, for New York.
Liverpeel, Nov. 7.—Sailed: Peruvian, for

St. Johns, Newfoundland, and Hallfax. Glasgow, Nov. 7 .- Sailed: Sarmatian, for Rotterdam, Nov. 7 .- Arrived: Ryndam,

from New York. Bremen, Nov. 9 .- Arrived: Neckar, from

Copenhagen, Nov. 9.—Sailed: Oscar II, for New York.
Cherbourg, Nov. 8.—Sailed: Grosser Kurfurst, from Bremen, for New York.
Leghorn, Nov. 9.—Sailed: Peruglia, for New York.
Hambar. rg, Nov. 9.—Arrived: Numantia, an Francisco and Salaverry, via

# **FALLS OF THE OHIO** MAY BE HARNESSED

Electricians Hope to Utilize Power for Traction and Light Systems in Three States.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 2.-Leading electricians from all parts of the country were in conference here this afternoon, and will depart to-morrow for Louisville. where they will be joined by Government engineers and others in an inspection of Ohio River at Louisville as to its suitability for furnishing power for tracthroughout Indiana, Kentucky and Ohio. the same as is done at Niagara.

The electricians who go to Louisville have investigated not only the process at nia, in transmitting electrical power from water falls, and especially the system by which the electric lighting and the trac tion cars of San Francisco are run by water power from the Sierra Nevada Mountains.

The Weidner-Elkins syndicate that con trols the traction lines in Cincinnati, Indianapolis and other parts of Ohio and Indiana, have had experts examining into the feasibility of utilizing the Ohio River falls for some time, and they have be ported favorably on the plan. The object of the meeting at Louisville is to confe with the Government engineers before taking the matter up with Congress. President W. Keslie Schoepf of the Cir cinnati Traction Company and other Ohio and Indiana traction men will accompany the engineers to Louisville.

### WILL KEEP TROOPS FROM EMBARKING AGAINST PANAMA.

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manent lease or control was given to Gernany of Colombian territory The report has given some concern to Washington. One effect predicted, should this turn out true, is that Democrats, as well as Republicans, would line up in sup-port of President Roosevelt on his isth-

mian policy. HOUSE WANTS PAPERS In the House to-day Mr. Hitt of Illinois

ffered the following resolution:
"Resolved, by the House of Representatives. That the President be requested to communicate to the House, if not incom-patible with the interest of the public service, all correspondence and other official documents relating to the recent revolt in the Isthmus of Panema."

### CONSUL GENERAL HINTS AT CONCESSIONS TO GERMANY.

New York, Nov. 9 .- Arturo de Brigard, Consul General for Colombia in this city. said to-day that he heard that it had been proposed to his Government to appeal to Germany for protection in regard to Pan ama, offering in return certain territorial sions. Mr. De Brigard said: "I have no official advices from Colom-

bia. Cablegrams which I sent last week asking for news have not been answered "From an unofficial source, however, I learn that the people in the interior are very much excited over the recent developments, and have appealed to our Government to send a delegation to Germany to offer the Emperor certain pleces of land on both seas in return for Germany's protection. Of course, I do not whether this will be done, but if it is I imagine the land conceded to Germany will be that lying next to the Panama border on both sides of the

### RECOGNITION SHOULD WAIT ON COLOMBIA, SAYS EXPERT

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New Haven, Conn., Nov. 9 .- Professor Theodore S. Woolsey, who holds the chair of international law at the Yale law school, when asked for a statement of his views on the situation in Panama, dictated the following:

"I have no hesitation in saving that It is the duty of the United States, if it would preserve a correct attitude and follow its own precedents, to abstain from any rec ognition of the new Government in Panama as an independent State until it becomes apparent that Colombia is not attempting to re-establish its authority there by force.

"If that should happen there will arise at once the question of recognizing the belligerency of the insurgent body. If no such attempt to reduce Panama to subission should be made after a decent interval the recognition of the new state as an independent sovereignty would be

as an independent sovereignty would be in order.

"The question is complicated, however, by the final clause of the thirty-fifth article of our treaty of 1846 with New Granada. That Colombia has succeeded to the rights and duties of New Granada is fully admitted by the United States. It is air clear from the fact that under this same article the United States has repettedly landed troops to protect the Psnama Railway.

"This final clause is as follows:

"And in consequence, the United States also guarantee in the same manner the rights of sovereignty and property which New Granada has and possesses over the said territory."

New Granada has and possesses over the said territory.

"This, in terms, is unconditional. Our State Department, however, seems to construe it as referring to a guarantee of Colombian sovereignty over Panama only when attacked from a foreign source, and not to domestic revolution."

### PANAMA'S ENVOY PRAISES MORGAN AND ASKS HIS AID.

Washington, Nov. 9 .- M. Philippe Bunau-Varilla, the Minister Plenipotentlary of the Panama Republic, has addressed a letter to Senator Morgan of Alabams, paying the Senator a warm tribute for his long fight for a canal and urging him to abandon the Nicaraguan route for the Panama route and join forces with the new Republic in the effort to secure the canal.

"I have not discussed the letter in pubhe and the announcement that it was written came from another source. The letter was signed by Mr. Varilla, who profersed to be the Minister Plenipotentiary

of the Republic of Panama. "The writer made me a flattering pr posal to get in line by supporting the new Republic, but when I take advice it vill come from American citizens and not the Panama Canal."

# FORM A METHODIST CLUB.

Social Union of Two Branches of the M. E. Church.

The Methodist Club is the name of an organization formed at the Mercantile Club last night by forty clergymen and laymen, representing both branches of the Methodist Church in St. Louis. The object of the organization is to promote friend-ship among the members of the Methodist and Southern Methodist churches and to advance religious education.

These officers were elected: President, R. M. Scruggs; secretary, W. S. Baker, and treasurer, Frank P. Hayes.

# DETECTIVE SEARCHING FOR CLEW TO WENTZ HELD PRISONER IN MOUNTAINEER'S HOME.



POSSE SENT TO FREE SLEUTH.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Bristol, Tenn., Nov. 9.-Five Pinkerton men left Big Stone Gap to-day to go to the rescue of a comrade, who was sent out to aid John Wright, the noted outlaw of Letcher County, Eastern Kentucky, who s familiar with the people of those mountains, and whose services have been enlisted in the search for Edward Wentz. Nothing has been heard of the missing millionaire since October 14, when his horse, bearing his rain coat attached to

standing in the dry bed of a creek. The Pinkerton detective who was sent out to assist Wright gained important information. When he started back to Big Stone Gap he was confronted by three

the saddle, was found near Kelly View

He returned to Wright's home, then made three more attempts, each time to be held up in like manner.

The fourth time he conceeled himself in wagon, but the watchers located him. LETTER RECEIVED. A letter from him reached the Wentz

home to-day, telling of how he was being detained and called for armed assistance This letter was brought by a young man who was coming from Letcher County to visit relatives at Rig Stone Con

visit relatives at Big Stone Gap.

The armed interference with the detective is accepted as significant and it is believed that it points to the correctness of the abduction theory. Important developments are likely within three days. There is an undercurrent of feeling among the best people at Big Stone Gap that the Weniz family knows more of the mystery than it ever has been willing to tell, though none have produced facts on which to base their assertions.

The aged parents of the young man were alimost prostrated by the news of his disappearance.

UNAVAILING SEARCH. From the moment the searching party was organized there has been no cessation in its efforts to find Wentz. All the mountain region adjacent to the spot where his horse was found has been searched in

horse was found has been searched in vain.

The company's operations suspended have been to allow the miners and other employes to join in the search. The second day found a thousand men searching in the wilds of the Black Mountain, but they gained no tidings of the missing men.

A reward of \$25,000 was offered for the return of the young man alive or \$5,000 for the discovery of the body. When Wentz's parents arrived the reward was increased to \$25,000 for his safe return, or \$30,000 for information which would lead to the arrest and conviction of his murderers. To this was added a suitable reward for the recovery of the body.

## WOMAN STRUCK BY CAR SUSTAINS FRACTURED SKULL

Third Time Within a Year That Conductor Healy's Conch Has Injured Persons.

Miss Maggie Leeper, a seamstress, was struck and perhaps fatally injured last evening by a westbound Olive street car. in charge of Conductor M. K. Healey, who last January asked to be changed from motorman to his present position, after his car had killed a child and an old man within a month. The accident last night shattered Hea-

ley's nerves, and he was barely able to continue his trip to the sheds. there he asked to be relieved for the night. When struck Miss Leeper was crossing from the south side of Olive street, near Boyle avenue, to the home of Mrs. J. Bennett, No. 423 Olive street, where she is employed and made her home. She did not notice a westbound car approaching at a high speed. Persons on the street shouted a warning, but she did not hear them. The front platform struck her, throwing her to the pavement. She was picked up unconscious and carried into the Westminster Pharmacy at Boyle avenue and Olive street. A physicians was called and pronounced her injuries serious. She was removed to the City Hospital, where it was found that she was suffering from a fractured skull. Miss Leeper is 35 years old. She has no relatives in St. Louis, An uncle, John McPhecters, lives at Fullerton, Mo. Boyle avenue, to the home of Mrs. J.

#### BAUMHOFF NOT WORRIED ABOUT THE INQUIRIES.

Postmaster Baumhoff received yesterday morning from Civil Service Commis-sioner A. W. Cooley a communication relating to the case of Miss Anna Dryer who was suspended from her position at the Post Office six months ago. It is said the communication emanated from President Roosevelt.

"I received some letters from the de-partment to-day," said Mr. Baumhoff. They related to the case of Miss Dryer. I was not required to return any answer forthwith, but complied the desired information, and it is on its way to Washington, "I am not at all disturbed about the

related strictly to the postal service and so did the information I sent to the department. Further than this it is not necessary to speak about the matter." Stole Dry Goods Worth \$140. Dry goods valued at \$160 were stoler

matter. The inquiries of the Government

Louis Spitzburger's store, No. 123 TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure.

E. W. Grove's signature is on each bux. Sc. rear window. Franklin avenue, Saturday evening, and

# MORE THAN \$600,000,000 SQUEEZED OUT OF STEEL TRUST'S SHARES.

SCENE ON WENTZ ESTATE NEAR WHERE EL WENTZ

New York, Nov. 9.-Liquidation of a pronounced character again broke out in the securities of the United States Steel Corporation to-day. The disturbed situation in the iron and steel trade, coupled with a widespread fear among holders of the Steel Trust shares as to the future of the company, forced
 thousands of shares of stock, causing demoralization of the entire market. holders of the Steel Trust shares as to the future of the company, forced out

Low records, which have been repeatedly made, were broken beyond parallel. ♦ The preferred stock sold down to 5012, at which price there is a loss of more ♦ armed men, who would not allow him to than 50 points from the high-record price. The common, at the lowest price at which it has ever sold, touched 10%.

At these prices, it is estimated, \$450,000,000 has been squeezed out of the common stock and about \$200,000,000 out of the preferred stock, a total of

◆ The preferred stock was sold to-day in "reams," to use a Wall street ◆ phrase. It came from every quarter of the globe, London and the Continent ◆

contributing their quota to the general selling movement, It is now considered a foregone conclusion that the dividend on the comin stock will be abandoned at the next dividend meeting. The price of the preferred stock also indicates that the dividend on this issue will also be reduced, and there are many bankers who believe that the dividend on the pre-• ferred stock will soon be cut to 5 per cent. \_...........

## **GEORGE PARKER HEADS FURNITURE BOARD OF TRADE**

Elected to Succeed Joseph H. Gruen der at Fifteenth Annual Meeting of Local Organization.

The St. Louis Furniture Board of Trade last night celebrated the fifteenth year of its organization, and the annual election of officers resulted in the selection of president to succeed Joseph J. Gruender. George H. Diedrich was elected first vice president, F. L. Kimball second vice presdent, H. S. Tuttle secretary and E. Lucas

The Executive Committee is com of Joseph J. Gruender, Joseph Joering, F.



GEORGE T. PARKER. Elected president of St. Louis Furnitus Board of Trade.

W. Hanpeter, Otto Vornbrock, Leo Far-W. Hanpeter, Otto Vornbrock, Leo Far-renkopf, F. A. Hinners, J. A. Steinmeyer and C. J. Kostuba.

An unusually large vote was cast in the election of officers, Joseph J. Gruender, retiring president, presided.

The annual report of Secretary George T. Parker reviewed briefly the history of the Furniture Board of Trade, and re-counted what had been done by the or-ganization for the furniture business of St. Louis.

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The report showed an annual business for the furniture concerns of St. Louis of \$25,000,000. fifty factories and a capacity that gives 7,000 men employment.

The report showed what subjects had been discussed in the monthly meetings. Alfred Webb of the Legislative Committee reported that the factory-inspection law had been declared valid by the Circuit Court of the city of St. Louis, and could, accordingly, be strictly enforced.

H. J. Kentnor, chairman of the Legislative Committee, apprised the Board of Trade of the issuance of a new Western classification for freight.

James A. Reardon, who is to make a trip to Europe in the interest of the World's Fair, was authorized to represent the St. Louis Board of Trade in whatevercities of Europe he visits and exploit before commercial organizations the lumber manufacturing business of St. Louis, with a view to increasing the foreign trade.

## FIND SPECIAL JURIES COSTLY Transit Company Changes Man

ner in Trying Damage Suits. The St. Louis Transit Company has commenced to have some of its damage suits tried by petit juries. Heretofore its custom has been to have its cases tried

custom has been to have its cases tried by special juries.

A deposit of \$75 is required for each special jury, and out of it the jurors are paid. No extra charge is required of litigants for the payment of petil jurors. Owing to the large number of cases brought against the Transit Company, the cost of special juries amounts to a considerable sum.

The fact that many verdicts have been returned against the company by special juries may have had something to do with the change.

# INVADER OF WHITE HOUSE MAY SOON BE SET FREE.

"Information of Insanity" Has Been Preferred Against Elliott and He Is Acting Rationally.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 9 .- Peter O. vade the White House and see President Roosevelt some time ago, may be discharged from custody within a few days. No "information of insanity" has been filed against him by the United States authorities.

The alleged would-be assailant of President Roosevelt has acted rationally ever since his arrest in Washington and the Secret Service men will take no further action in the case.

# CHARGED WITH MURDER **GROWING OUT OF WRECK**

J. W. Hoover Arrested on an Unusua Charge at Kansas City-Dockery Asked to Intervene.

Kansas City. Nov. 9 .- Sheriff Love of Kingfisher County, Oklahoma, to-day served a warrant on J. W. Hoover, prominent local business man, on an indictment returned in Oklahoma charging

The indictment grew out of the wreck of bridge built by Mr. Hoover's company, in which two men were killed. Mr Hoover says he has never been in King fisher County, and his attorney has telegraphed Governor Dockery urging the latter to refuse to grant requisition pa-

# LEAVES WEALTH TO HARVARD.

Gordon McKay's Will Practically Cuts Off His Two Sons.

Boston, Nov. 2.-Victor and McKay, the wo sons of Gordon McKay, the late millonaire inventor of shoe machinery, are practically cut off by their father's from all share in his estate, while Harvard University will eventually receive the entire estate, valued at several milto be used to promote applied sciences, An annuity of \$11,000 is bequeathed to Mrs. Marion von Bruning, Mr. McKay's former wife, who secured a divorce, while the two sons of the testator by that marriage, Robert and Victor McKay, each receive \$100 per annum until they become of

#### FILES SECOND DIVORCE SUIT. Gladys B. Lange Makes Many Charges Against Husband.

Gladys B. Lange of Old Orchard, St. Louis County, filed another suit for divorce in the Chayton Circuit Court yesterday against her husband, Charles W. The couple were principals in a divorce

suit that attracted considerable attention in the Clayton Circuit Court about one year ago. During the trial Mrs. Lange testified that her husband wanted her to commit suicide and offered her the poison for that purpose. In the petition she filed yesterday she made the same allegation. The other allegations against Lange are many. The plaintiff alleges that he deserted her, was not affectionate, criticised her dress, was jealous and whimsical, had a violent temper, secreted himself on the outside of the house one night to gatch developments and bit her hand.

The Langes were married January 17, 1901, and separated October 1, 1902 Mrs. Lange asks for the restoration of her maiden name. Gladys Bradiey, and for allmony. Her husband is the son of a prominent lumber merchant in St. Louis. suit that attracted considerable attention

# POPE PIUS HOLDS SECRET CONSISTORY

No American Cardinals Are Created-Archbishop Harty's Appointment Is Formally Made.

Rome, Nov. 9 .- The first secret cousis ory of the new Pontiff was held to-day. No American Cardinal was appointed. Several appointments of Archbishops and Bishops were made, including the Most Reverend J. J. Harty as Archbishop of Manila, Philippine Islands, who, as an exceptional privilege, received the pallium at an extra consistory when he

came to Rome for consecration. The Reverend Pedro Gonzalesy Estrada was appointed Bishop of Havans and the Right Reverend Maximilian Raynoso Delcoral, formerly of Tulancingo, Mexico, was appointed titular Bishop of No-

The real business of the day was th appointment of two Cardinals, Mgr. Merry del Val. the Papal Secretary of State, and Mgr. Callegari, Archbishop of Padua, which were announced by the

Among the confirmations at this morn ing's consistory were those of the Reverend Thomas Hendrick as Bishop of Cebu, Philippine Islands, and the Reverend Manuel Orne y Vivanco as Bishop of Pinar del Rio, Cuba.

The Reverend B. F. Broderick, former ly of Hartford, Conn., and the auxiliery Bishop of Havara, Cuba, was appointed titular Bishop of Giulianopoli.

NO DEFINITE OUTLAYS IN

MISSOURI APPROPRIATION All of Million Dollars to Be Expend ed as Emergencies Arise. the Commission Says.

L F. Parker, the St. Louis member of the Missouri World's Fair Commission says that every dollar of the State's ap ropriation will be expended in exhibiting Missouri's resources, in its building and in entertaining guests during the Exposition. Missouri, he says, will be the host both for visiting States and for foreign nations. For this reason the commission and peo

best possible showing made with the \$1,-000.000 appropriated by the Legislature for Missouri's participation.
It is the opinion of himself and other members of the commission, he says, that the \$1,000,000 was appropriated for actual use and should all be spent in making the

use and should all be spent in making the very best showing possible.

Mr. Parker says that no definite subappropriations for the various departments of exhibits have been made. The commission instructs its superintendents to go ahead and collect their material, without placing rigid restrictions as to cost upon them. Expenses are met by appropriation as they arise.

A member of the commission said last week that, roughly, the amounts for the various departments and items were:

Agriculture, \$75,500; horticulture, \$75,000; education, \$75,000; interest and metallurgy, \$75,000; itse stock, \$72,000; the Missouri building, its furnishings service and all incidentals in connection with maintaining it during the Exposition, \$200,000; entertainment on Missouri, to buy and at other times in the course of the Exposition, \$200,000; militia, \$20,000; dairy, poultry and fish and game, \$40,000; all salaries, \$25,000; work on Missouri, to be written by Walter Williams, \$50,000.

The total of these figures is \$40,000. For preliminary expenses \$10,000 was used, so that the actual appropriation placed at the disposal of the commission was \$90,000. The balance of \$50,000 will be used for incidental expenditures which may come up in making Missouri's exhibit.

SWEDISH DAY AT EXPOSITION.

Will Be Observed With Patriotic Demonstration. Swedish Day at the World's Pair will e celebrated with patriotic demonstra-States. Societies of Swedes have arranged to have a large men Fair on June 21, which has been set aside

Fair on June 21, which has been set aside for the sons of Scandinavia.

The following committee has been appointed to make arrangements for the ostebration: The Reverend P. J. Renhard, the Reverend P. J. Berg, the Reverend J. A. Lindquist, J. W. Fischer, Charles E. Halline, C. J. Anderson, Gust Tapperson, Colonel J. A. Ockerson, Frederick Wasge, Charles Exstromer, N. O. Nelson, Walfrid Nolmberg, Edward Serlachius, Nils Grant, H. London, Ernest Lundblad, Gust Dahberg, K. G. Janssen, Axel Linn, M. Parson, Philip Hall, P. A. Juhlin, Nils O. Nelson and John Polson.

"COLONELS" CELEBRATE JUNE 2. That Date Set Anide as "Kentucky

Day" at World's Fair. It was announced yesterday that June 2. 1904, had been set aside by the Cer onies Committee as "Kentucky Day" at the World's Fair. The assignment was made at the request of the Kentucky Press Association and A. Y. Ford, president of the Kentucky Exhibit Association.

An elaborate programme, including speeches, military drills and a banquet, will be carried out by Kentuckians on that day. The newspaper men of the Blue Grass State will visit St. Louis in a body as guests of the Kentucky Exhibit Asso-ciation, and take part in the celebration.

DAKOTA COMMISSIONER HERE. Will Obtain State's Allotment in Ex-

position Exhibit Buildings. Lieutenant Governor David Bartlett of North Dakota, chief executive of that State's World's Fair Commission, arrived in St. Louis yesterday. The purpose of his visit is to obtain his allourent of space in the big exhibit palaces. He visited the Administration building and met several department chiefs.

North Dakota has an appropriation of little more than \$50.000 and has decided little more than \$50,000 and has decided not to erect a pavilion on the Exposition or grounds. Its exhibit will be made in metallurgy, education, agriculture, horticulture, forestry and fish and gaine. The principal display will be in agriculture.

BRINGING ALASKAN EXHIBIT. Two Men From St. Michaels Arrive at San Francisco.

San Francisco, Nov. 9.—Frederick Kolts-choff and Charles Momeler of St. Michael's, Alaska, arrived here yesterday with part of a large Arctic and Alaska collection for exhibition at the St. Louis World's Fair.

They are on their way to New York, where the collection will be shown this winter. No exhibition will be made here, as the bulk of the exhibit is now en route for New York direct from Seattle.

Koltschoff, who has had much experience in Alaska, speaks hopefully of that country from an agricultural standpoint.

Interested in Model City. The American League for Civic Im prove is taking a lively interest in the Model City exhibit at the World's Fair The St. Louis Civic Lague is in receipt The St. Louis Civic Lague is in receipt of a letter, stating that leagues all over the country are making arrangements to assist in building the exhibit. Albert Kelsey of Philadelphia, the architect, who has charge of the Model City, will reach St. Louis this week with his plans. The exhibit was indorsed at a meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Park and Outdoor Art Association, which met in Chicago last week.

ago. In addition, several thousands of persons visited portions of the grounds not inclosed by the fence.

### MISSOURI'S HOSTESS WILL BE SELECTED IN JANUARY.

Lady to Do the Honors in the State Building Will Be Chosen by

Commission. In the course of the last three or four weeks the Missouri World's Fair Commission has received several dozen applica-tions for the position of hostess of the Missouri State building at the Exposition. A goodly portion of each day's mail is composed of letters from women through-

out the State asking for the position for themselves or friends of applicants urging the merits of their candidates. Before adjourning last week the commission announced that the matter of appointing a hostess for its building would not be taken up or considered before the middle of next January.

No applications will be considered at this time. When the time for making the appointment comes it is probable that the commission will have determined upon whom it desires for the post.

The position of hostess will be one of the most important and dignified which any woman will hold at the World's Fair. The duties will be purely social, and as the commission will do a large amount of entertaining, the hostess will be brought prominently to the front.

It will be a necessary qualification for the successful candidate that she be well acquainted with Exposition work and officials. She will probably he a member of a prominent Missouri family and have a wide acquaintance in St. Louis and throughout the State.

Two prominent names mentioned for the office at this time are Mrs. Bland, widow of former Congressman Richard P. Bland, and Miss Florence Hayward, who was the World's Fair honorary Commissioner to Europe.

Mrs. Bland was hostess of the Missouri

World's Fair honorary Commissioner to Europe.

Mrs. Bland was hostess of the Missouri building at the Charleston Exposition. She filled the duties of that position with great tact and considerable credit to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company.

Miss Haywood is thought to possess all the qualifications which would adapt her for the position. She comes of a prominent St. Louis family, has served the Exposition Company with great credit, and has a wide acquaintance both in St. Louis and throughout the State.

INVITES LONDON'S LORD MAYOR. endor Choate Promises Him

Enthusiastic Reception. don. Nov. 9 .- At a dinner given tonight by the new Lord Mayor of London, Sir James Ritchie, in honor of the King's birthday. Ambassador Choate, responding to the toast of "The Foreign Ministers" invited the Lord Mayor to go to the United States and visit the St. Louis Universal Exposition in his term of office, guaranteeing that should he be able to do so, to-day's procession would be re-peated with all its pomp and parapher-

The Lord Mayor, Mr. Choate said, would be greeted in the United States with a degree of enthusiasm greater than ever displayed by Americans toward any visitor from England.

Hungary Accepts Invitation. Vienna, Nov. 9.—The Hungarian Government to-day announced the acceptance of the invitation to be officially represented at the St. Louis Universal Exposition, Arrangements will be immediately begun for the making of a creditable exhibit, the bulk of which will be devoted to the in-dustrial arts, but the Government also will send a collection of valuable paint-ings.

Educators to Meet July 4. Chicago, Nov. 3.-The Executive Committee of the National Educational Association at its meeting to-day decided to hold the next annual convention of that body on July 4, at St. Louis, in connec-tion with the educational exhibit of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

QUEST FOR A PENNY CAUSES BOY'S INJURY.

George Doerhoff Run Down and tifled Tenmster.

So busy in the quest for a penny which he had lost in the street near his h No. 1418 North Fifteenth street, George Doerhoff, 9 years old, failed to see a wagon in time to run to the sidewalk, and was seriously injured.

He also sustained several severe wounds on the head. Instead of waiting to find how badly the child had been hurt, the driver whipped his horse to a run and Young Doerhoff was carried to his home, where Doctor M. J. Hopkins dressed his wounds. He says the boy has suffered internal injuries that may prove fatal. The police were unable to find the driver of the wagon which ran Doerhoff down. The boy could not describe the man of

The horse stepped on the boy's stomach

HAD "LOCK" IN HIS POCKET.

Police Arrest Men at World's

Fair on Swindle Charge. Two men, whom the police accuse naving swindled several visitors at the World's Fair grounds recently, were ar-rested at the Agricultural building yesterday afternoon by Detective Laburge. The prisoners gave their names as William Daly and Peter Richardson, and are said to have served terms in the penitentiary. When searched the detective found in the possession of Richardson. the possession of Richardson, who is known also as Horstman, a "flash roll." and in Daly's pockets was found a lock which, it is charged, he uses as a means of winning money from persons who wager money on his inability to open it.

The pictures of both men are in the local gallery of criminals. The police will notify several persons of Daly and Richardson's arrest, and an effort will be made to-day to have them identified as the men who last Saturday swindled Fred Gallender of Boston by means of the "lock game."

MESSENGER LOSES LETTERS. Post-Office Authorities Ask Aid

of Police in Locating Mail. master Baumhoff in locating two special delivery letters which Arthur Baldwin, 13 rears old. lost Sunday evening. Baldwin, who is employed as messenger in the Post Office, was on his rounds and accidentally permitted the letters to get out

of his possession.

One letter was addressed to Martin L. Clardy of No. 4305 Lindell boulevard, general solicitor of the Missouri Pacific Railroad. The other was directed to E. C. Cummings, No. 5076 Cote Brilliante avenue. nue.

Baldwin first told officials of the Post
Office that he had been held us and
robbed, but finally admitted that he had
lost the letters. He says that he missed
them while on Walton avenue and believes he dropped them in a car.

LINE TO PREDERICKTOWN. Louis Houck States His Intention of Taking Up Project.

A delegation of West Virginians visited the World's Fair yesterday and made a tour of the grounds. In the party were: General George W. Curtin, son of Pennsylvania's war Governor; A. H. Winchester, secretary of the West Virginian World's Fair Commission; M. F. Gisey, architect of the State pavillon, and Mr. Large Attendance at the World's Fair was the largest since the dedication ceresions passing through the gate was 13,091, the largest previous day's attendance, since dedication, being 12,500 two weeks EPUBLIC SPECIAL.